

WHORWOOD OF COMPTON IN KINVER, STAFFS
WHORWOOD OF SANDWELL IN WEST BROMWICH, STAFFS
WHORWOOD OF ENVILLE, STAFFS
WHORWOOD OF LUTLEY IN ENVILLE, STAFFS

ARMS: *Argent a chevron sable between three bucks heads caboshed sable

CREST: On a wreath a bucks head caboshed sable in the mouth an oak-branch proper fructed or

Inquisitiones in Turre London, maneria, &c. quae in inquisitionibus continentur: "49 Ed. III [1375-6]
John Harwood, 13, Yerdley, co. Worc." [ERDESWICK (1844) 394]

John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs

(lord of Compton Whorwood) 1387

John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire

(lord of Compton Whorwood) 1425 1437; (an armiger) *1433

John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1429-

(lord of Compton Whorwood)

chn: John Whorwood b c1459 below

Thomas Whorwood b c1461 further below

John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1459-1528

m Elizabeth dau of Nicholas Corbyn of Kingswinford, Staffs gentleman c1440-?a1525 QV
d 1528

(lord of Compton Whorwood)

chn: John Whorwood [1] b c1489 below

William Whorwood [2] b c1491 further below

Richard Whorwood [3] b c1493; (had no chn); Will (...) 12 Sep 1571; (clerk);
(Rector, Envilee) 1538-1571; 1545 bw;

Margery Whorwood m Roger Fowke of Brewood, Staffs c1490-1546 QV; (their chn)
1545 bw

John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1489-1527

m Joyce Grey dau of Sir Edward Grey of Whittington in Kinver, Staffs Knight c1470-1529 QV;
c1532 FAS

d 4 Apr 1527 [IPM]; IPM 30 Sep 1527

(lord of Compton Whorwood); (held land in Sedgley and Kinver)

(then dead, of Kinver) c1532 FAS; (his children) 1545 bw

chn: Edward Whorwood [1] (then dead) c1532 FAS

John Whorwood [2] b c1516; c1532 FAS; (had no chn); d before his father OR
(aged 11) 1527 [IPM]

Ann Whorwood [1] c1532 FAS; (as Agnes) 1527 [IPM]

Edward Whorwood [3] b c1520; c1532 FAS below

Robert Whorwood [4] b c1522; c1532 FAS further below

Anthony Whorwood [5] c1532 FAS; m; (and had chn); (of Devon)

Jerome OR Jeremy Whorwood [6] c1532 FAS; (living) 1583

William Whorwood b ? p1532; (had no chn); d slain at Bolloygne

Edward Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1520-1547

m Dorothy Bassett dau of Thomas Bassett of Hints c1496-.... QV; m2 Hugh Shadwell
c1520-.... QV

d 12 Sep 1547; Will (PCC) 1548

chn: Thomas Whorwood b c1545; (aged 7) 1552 below

[?] William Whorwood (had no chn); (knighted) [SHAW II 13]

Mary Whorwood m John More of London mercer c1550-.... QV

Sir Thomas Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs Knight c1545-1617

m a1563 Magdalen Edwards dau of Rowland Edwards of London

d 5 May 1617; IPM 1617

(lord of Kinver) 1552-1616

(lord of Stourton)-1616

(as kinsman and heir of Ann Whorwood LATER Dudley c1520-1552 QV, lord of)

(patron of Envilee)

(sold land, Final Concords) 1565-83
(presented at Enville) 1571
(M.P., Staffs) 1572-83
(Sheriff, Staffs) 1574-5 1596-7
(paid œ20, Kinver) 1576 LS
(conveyed his interest in Oaken to Thomas and Margaret Throckmorton) 1578
(J.P., Staffs) 1580-2 1556-1606
(as armiger, summoned and entered at the Visitation) Aug *1583
(knighted at Chatham) 4 Jul 1604
(friend of Wolverhampton School) 1605 [WGS 55]
(as a Knight, of Stourton Castle, named in the Visitation) *Aug 1614
(presented at Broom) 1614

chn: Gerard Whorwood [1] b c1565; (aged 18) 1583 **below**

Elizabeth Whorwood m *without consent of her father* John Dudley of Sedgley, Staffs 1569-1645 QV;
? (eventual heir of her father)

Gerard Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1565-1627

m1 Dorothy Barbour dau and heir of Edward Barbour of Flashbrook in Adbaston, Staffs c1530-....
QV; b c1565
m2 17 Apr 1605 Codsall: Margaret Fowke dau of John Fowke of Gunstone in Brewood, Staffs c1555-a1642 QV
d 1627
(as son and heir, lord of Kinver and Stourton); (lord of Dunsley); (by right of his wife, lord of Weston Jones, until sold to John Fowke)-1617
(aged 18) 1583
chn: Theodosia Whorwood b c1588; m c1607 Sir Edward Sebright of Besford, Worcs 1st Baronet c1585-a1658 QV
John Whorwood [1] b c1592; (aged 17) 1609 **below**

John Whorwood of Stourton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1592-c1669

m Abigail -----
[? 29 Dec 1613 Westminster St Martin-in-the-Fields: Abigail Wade]
d c1669
(as of Stourton, J.P., Staffs) 26 Apr 1647*
(of Compton, until sold to Thomas Foley) 1650
(aged 17, matric. Lincoln, Oxford) 20 Jan 1608.9
(at Gray's Inn) 1612
(as of Dunsley, not present at coronation of Charles I and later fined £20 for knighthood) 2 Feb 1625.6
[? (owner of Compton Park) c1665 [ERDESWICK (1844) xix-xxi]]
[SIMMS]
chn: William Whorwood b c1618 **below**

(1637) The advowson of the parish church of Enveild [Enville, co. Staffs.]. Consideration: £41 sterling [Claydon (2018) p31 states £40] **James** Archer, clerk, plaintiff. John Whorwood, esq., and Abigail, his wife, deforciants. [Shropshire Archives 2922/11/10/4/1-2]

Sir William Whorwood of Stourton in Kinver, Staffs Knight c1618-a1657

b c1618
m Catherine Coney dau of Sir Sutton Coney (? of South Stoke, Lincs) Knight; m2 a1661 William Hammerton (of Dunsley in Kinver, Staffs) c1618-.... QV
d a1657
chn: Wortley Whorwood b c1649 Stourton; (aged 16) 1665 **below**
Catherine Whorwood m1 Anthony Markham (Colonel) [see SHAW II 266]; m2 Sir Henry Campbell of Clayton Hall, Essex ... Baronet-.... [...]

NOTE: In 1666 Stourton Castle was assessed for 15 hearths and was tenanted by Thomas Brettell.

Wortley Whorwood of Stourton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1649-1703

b c1649 Stourton
m Ann Dering dau of Sir Edward Dering of Surrenden Dering, Kent 2nd Baronet 1625-1684 [...] [PARL]; i 22 Nov 1739 Denton
d 16 Apr 1703 aged 53; i Denton, Kent; M.I. [SHAW II 266]
(lord of Kinver and Stourton, until sold to Philip Foley of Prestwood in Kingswinford, Staffs 1648-1716)-1672

(by purchase, of "Denton Court", Denton, Kent) 1679-d
(aged 16, adm. pensioner, Sidney, Cambridge) 11 May 1665; (fellow-commoner) 26 May 1666;
(adm. Gray's Inn) 27 May 1668; (aged 21) 1669
chn: Mary Whorwood

Ann Whorwood c 21 Feb 1681 Denton; (had no chn)
Jane Whorwood c 5 Feb 1685 Denton; i a1703 Denton [SHAW II 266]
Thomas Whorwood c 13 Apr 1687 Denton; i 5 Mar 1745.6 Denton
Elizabeth Whorwood i a1703 Denton [SHAW II 266]

Robert Whorwood of Sandwell in West Bromwich, Staffs gentleman c1522-1590
b c1522 4th son of John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1489-1527 QV
m Frances Chelsham dau of Sir Walter OR William Chelsham of London
d 13 Oct 1590
(by purchase from John Cutte, lord of Sandwell) 1569-90
(of London mercer)
chn: William Whorwood b c1563; (aged 27) 1590 below

It [Sandwell] afterwards became the property of the family of Horewood, of Compton and Stourton-castle. Robert Whorwood died 13 Oct. 32 Eliz [1590] (William, his son and heir, being aged 27) seised of the manor of Sandwell, a mill and lands in West Bromwich, Barr, Handsworth and Tipton, held in capite by knight's service and the hundredth part of a knight's fee; which sir William Whorwood, kt. died 1 July, 1614 seised of the same, and Thomas was his son and heir, aged twenty-six. Brome Whorwood, son of Thomas, had his seat here in sir Simon Degge's time. It is now the property of Legge, earl of Dartmouth. The mansion is built on the site of the priory, some of the foundations whereof are yet visible. On the lawn, near the house, is the Well, protected with iron-rails. [ERDESWICK (1844) 393-4]

Sir William Whorwood of Sandwell in West Bromwich, Staffs Knight c1563-1614

m Ann dau and heir of Henry [? John] Field of Kings Norton, Worcs; i 22 Oct 1599 West Bromwich; M.I.; (heir of her uncle Henry Field of Weatheroak Hill, Kings Norton and thus heir of Holdfast, Ripple, Worcs)
d 1 Jul 1614 Basingshaw, London; i 2 Aug 1614 West Bromwich; M.I. [below]; Will (...) 9 Nov 1611/1614; IPM 1618-9
(as son and heir, lord of Sandwell) 1590-1614
(aged 27) 1590; (Escheator, Staffs) 1593-4; (J.P., Staffs) 17 Mar 1601-d; (knighted) 1603-4; (Sheriff, Staffs) 1604; (friend of Wolverhampton School) 1605 [WGS 55]
chn: Thomas Whorwood [1] b a1583 below
Isabel Whorwood [1] b a1583; d in infancy
Frances Whorwood [2] b a1583
Ann Whorwood [3] m William Gower of Holdfast, Worcs-1647; d 1653; i Upton-upon-Severn; M.I. [below]
Elizabeth Whorwood [4] m William Leigh of Adlestrop, Glos c1580-1632 QV
William Whorwood [2] b c1588; d 1 Jul 1614 London [SIMMS]; (aged 17, as son of a knight, matric. Brasenose, Oxford) 22 Feb 1604.5; (B.A., Gloucester, Oxford) 13 Jul 1608; (as of Sandwell Abbey gent., at Inner Temple) 1607 [SIMMS]
Robert Whorwood [3]
Field Whorwood [4] b c1592; d 16 Jul 1658 aged 66; i West Bromwich; M.I. [SHAW II 132]; 1614 E fw
John Whorwood [5]
Isabel Whorwood [5]
Mary Whorwood [6]
Dorothy Whorwood [7]
Magdalene Whorwood [8]

Here lyeth the body of sir William Whorwood knt. He departed this life July 1 and was buried the 2d of August 1614. And Ann his wife was buried October 22 1599. They had issue 13 children viz 5 sons and eight daughters. [A later monument calls Ann dau and heir of Henry Field of Kings Norton, Worcs and names the children as Thomas, Wiliam, Robert, Field and John; (seven daus) Frances, Ann, Elizabeth, Isabel, Mary, Dorothy and Magdalene] [SHAW II 132] [and see EFFIGIES 125]

Sir William Whorwode, by his marriage with a niece of Mr. Henry Feyld, of Wederoke-hill, co. Worcester, came into possession of the manor of Hold-fast, in that co. Mr. William Gowre (Gower), head of that distinguished family, then bought it [Holdfast, orcs], and made it his habitation. In the church of Upton-upon-Severn, is, "Here lieth the body of Anne, daughter of sir William Whorwood, knt and late wife of William Gower, esq. 1653. Hic jacet Gulielmus Gower, nuper de Holdfast, arm.

qui obiit 17 Aug 1647" "Margaret, the wife of Benjamin Baxter, daughter and coheir of Mr. Robert Gower, died March 6, 1651". Arms, a chevron between three wolf's heads erased. [ERDESWICK (1844) 394]

Sir Thomas Whorwood of Sandwell in West Bromwich, Staffs Knight a1583-1634

m Ursula dau and heir of George Brome of Holton, Oxon esquire; c 5 Sep 1691 St

Giles Cripplegate

d 22 Sep 1634; i 27 Oct[sic] 1634 [VIS] Holton; M.I.

(aged 26[?]) 1614

(as son and heir, lord of Sandwell) 1614-34

(by right of his wife, of Holton, Oxon)

(named in the Visitation) *Aug 1614

(knighted) 1624

(J.P., Staffs) 9 Jul 1625-....

(Sheriff, Staffs) 1632-3

("very ridiculous for his many base acts and acts of penury") [SHAW II 129]

chn: Brome Whorwood [1] b 10 ?Oct 1615; c 13 ?Sep 1615 Cuddesdon, Oxon; (aged 19) 1634 below

Thomas Whorwood [2] b c1619; (aged 15) ?1634; (as 2nd son of Thomas W. of Halton, Oxon, adm. Middle Temple) 1 Feb 1636.7 [MT]

William Whorwood [3] b c1624; (aged 10) ?1634; [? (aged 22, at Middle Temple) 1641]

Elizabeth Whorwood unm.

Brome Whorwood of Sandwell in West Bromwich, Staffs esquire 1615-1684

b 10 ?Oct 1615; c 13 ?Sep 1615 Cuddesdon, Oxon

m1 aged 19 (by licence, 22 Sep 1634) ?Holton, Oxon: Jane Rider dau and coheir of William Rider of Kingston-upon-Thames, Surrey (Surveyor of the Stables, James); (dau in law [? for step-daughter] of James Maxwell (Groom of the Bedchamber, Charles) (Usher of the Black Rod); (rendered Charles I numerous services) 1647-8; (obtained a decree of alimony) Jun 1659 [DNB]

m2 cl; (a servant)

d 12 Apr 1684 aged 69 Old Palace Yard, Westminster; i 24 Apr 1684 Holton; Will (PCC) /1684

(as son and heir, lord of Sandwell); (of Holton, Oxon)

(matric. Trinity, Oxford) Oct 1634; (created D.C.L.) Nov 1642; (Royalist, fined œ872) 1648; (Sheriff, Staffs) 1653-4; (aged c54) 1669 [VIS.OXON.1669 where he is named as William]; (M.P., Oxford) 1661 1679(Mar) 1679(Oct) 1681 [PARL]

chn: Brome Whorwood c 29 Oct 1635 Holton; d drowned in crossing to the Isle of Wight 5 Sep 1657 aged 20; i 19 Sep 1657 Holton; (matric. St Mary, Oxford) 31 Oct 1651

.[dau]. Whorwood "a crookt deformed person"

Diana Whorwood [heir] c 22 May 1639 St Martin-in-the-Fields; m Dec 1677 Exeter, Oxford: Edward Masters of Doctors Commons LL.D; (but had no chn): He d 1691; i Holton, Oxon: She d 1701; (succeeded by her illegitimate brother)

[2] Thomas Brome Whorwood [illeg.] b c1664; (aged 15) 1679 below

Thomas Brome Whorwood of Sandwell in West Bromwich, Staffs esquire c1664-

[? m Jane Bray]

(as nephew [? illeg. son] and heir, lord of Sandwell, until sold to William Legge 1st Earl of Dartmouth) 1684-1701

(aged 15, as son of Brome W. of London gent, matric. Hart Hall, Oxford) 26 Sep 1679

chn: [?] Brome Whorwood b c1690

[?] Jane Whorwood m c1711 Christopher Bond

William Whorwood of Putney, Surrey c1491-1545

b c1491 2nd son of John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1459-1528

m1 Cassandra dau of Sir Edward Grey of Envile, Staffs Knight c1470-1529 QV; d a1529

m2 Margaret dau of Sir Richard Brooke of London Knight c1474-1529 QV;

m1 John Glegg of Gayton, Cheshire; m3 William Sheldon of Beoley, Worcs; 1545 E hw;
d 1589 [ORDER OF HER HUSBANDS UNCERTAIN]

d May 1545; i Putney, Surrey; M.I. [below]; Will (PCC) 27 May 1545/9 Jun 1545 to his wife Margaret [executor] one third of his manors ... to his brother John W.'s chn
... to his brother-in-law Roger Fowke's chn ... to his brother Richard W. clerk ...
brother-in-law William Grey gentleman [executor] [abstract SHC 1917-8 305]

(of Putney, Surrey); (by grant of the crown, lord of Oaken, Codsall) 1540-5; (by purchase from William Gascoyne, joint lord (with Aleyn Horde and Thomas Skrymsher) of Tyrley and Tyrley Castle) 1543; (by purchase, lord of Kinver) 1543-5
(adm. Middle Temple) 2 Nov 1519 [MT]; (under treasurer) 1524; (M.P., Downton) 1529-36 [? 1542-4]; (J.P., Staffs) 1531-45; (M.P., Staffs) [? 1536 1539-40]; (solicitor General) 13 Apr 1536-1540; (bencher) 1537; (Reader) Aut 1537; (Attorney General) 8 Nov 1540-1545
chn: Ann Whorwood [coheir] b c1520 below
[2] Margaret Whorwood [coheir] b c1530 below

Hic iacet Willielmus Whorwood armiger nuper attornatus generalis Hen:8: qui obiit viii die Maii Ao Do: MCCCCXLV: xxxvii Hen. VIII. Iste Willielmus Whorwood habuit duas uxores quarum prima fuit Cassandra filia Edwardi Grey militis (ex quo sucepit filiam nomine Annam) et secunda uxor erat Margareta filia Ricardi Brookes militis que peperit ei filiam Margaretam nomine. [Stephenson MON. BRASSES SURREY 415]

Ann Whorwood LATER Dudley c1520-15521
m (a4 Mar) 1546 Ambrose Dudley 1st Earl of Warwick c1528-1590 [CP]; (but had no surviving chn)
d 26 May 1552 Otford, Kent;
(as dau and coheir,)
(with her husband, had livery of her father's lands) 1 Dec 1546 [CP]
(succeeded by her kinsman Sir Thomas Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs Knight c1545-1617 QV)

Margaret Whorwood LATER Throckmorton c1530-
m Sir Thomas Throckmorton of Coughton, Warwicks Knight c1528-1615 QV:
(with her husband, acquired Sir Thomas Whorwood's interest in Oaken, Codsall) 1578; (sold interest in Kinver to Sir Thomas Whorwood) 1578; (sold Oaken to Robert Chamberlayne) 1591 [see VIS. HUNTS.1613 124]
chn: see THROCKMORTON

Thomas Whorwood of Lutley in Enville, Staffs gentleman c1461-
b c1461 2nd son of John Whorwood of Compton in Kinver, Staffs esquire c1429-.... QV
m Elizabeth Dudley ALIAS Sutton illeg. dau of Edward Dudley ALIAS Sutton Lord Dudley
[? Sir Edward Dudley ALIAS Sutton (of Dudley Castle, Staffs) Knight c1430-1483 QV]; c1532 FAS
(as of Lutley in Enville) 1486/7 [SHAW II 215]; ([entry defective, ? as Mester, 1st family listed], of Enville) c1532 FAS
chn: John Whorwood c1532 FAS
Oliver Whorwood b c1491; c1532 FAS below
Cecily Whorwood c1532 FAS
Owen Whorwood b c1495; c1532 FAS further below
Cecily Whorwood c1532 FAS
Richard Whorwood b c1499 [NOT c1532 FAS] further below

Oliver Whorwood of Lutley in Enville, Staffs gentleman c1491-
[? m1 Elizabeth; c1532 FAS]
m Isabel Grosvenor dau of Humphrey Grosvenor of Farncote in Claverley, Salop
c1459-.... QV
([entry defective], of Enville) c1532 FAS; (living) 1544
chn: Gilbert Whorwood b c1521; c1532 FAS
Gabriel Whorwood b c1523; c1532 FAS below
Richard Whorwood b c1525; c1532 FAS below

Gabriel Whorwood (of Lutley in Enville, Staffs) gentleman c1521-
m Margaret Dickinson
chn: Geoffrey Whorwood b a1583

Richard Whorwood of Lutley in Enville, Staffs gentleman c1525-
m Joyce Uvedale dau of William Uvedale (of Hants)
(not summoned but entered at the Visitation, but his son John signed the record) Aug *1583; (said to be "clerk and cousin" of Sir Robert Brooke of London)
chn: John Whorwood [1] b c1563; (aged 20) 1583
Oliver Whorwood [2] m Elizabeth Salmon dau of John Salmon of Burntwood in

Lichfield St Michael, Staffs
Robert Whorwood [3]
William Whorwood [4]
Littleton Whorwood [5]
Emma Whorwood [1]
Magdalen Whorwood [2]
Jane Whorwood [3]

Owen Whorwood gentleman c1495-
b c1495 son of Thomas Whorwood of Lutley in Enville, Staffs c1461-....
chn: John Whorwood

Richard Whorwood gentleman c1499-
b c1499 son of Thomas Whorwood of Lutley in Enville, Staffs c1461-....
m Joyce Jevon
chn: William Whorwood below

William Whorwood of Tipton, Staffs gentleman c1529-
(of Tipton) 1583
chn: Margaret Whorwood m Richard Stone of Walsall, Staffs mercer c1580-?1640 QV

c1532 FAS; *1583; *1614/64; *1664/1700; ERDESWICK (1844) 386-7; SHAW I 129 pedigree; II 276 pedigree; *VCH (COMPTON IN KINVER) (OAKEN IN CODSALL) (KINVER) (SANDWELL in WEST BROMWICH); VIS.OXON.1669 (31/7/03)

WHORWOOD OF BOBBINGTON, STAFFS

ARMS: *Argent a chevron sable between three bucks heads caboshed sable

CREST:

Richard Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1410-
(said to be a younger brother of Whorwood of Whorwood[sic]) VIS
chn: Thomas Whorwood below

Thomas Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1440-
chn: John Whorwood below

John Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1470-
m1 Annes Cocks of Enville, Staffs; (as Agnes, ?then dead) c1532 FAS
m2 Margaret; c1532 FAS
(of Bobbington, 8th family listed, with unnamed chn) c1532 FAS
chn:
[1] Henry Whorwood [1] b c1500 below
John Whorwood [2] (had no living descendants) 1583
[?] Margery OR Mary Whorwood m William Barnsley of Trysull, Staffs c1508-?1571 QV

Henry Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1500-
m Joane Rickthorne dau of William Rickthorne of Bobbington, Staffs c1462-.... QV; c1532 FAS
(of Bobbington, 9th family listed) c1532 FAS
chn: Eleanor Whorwood [1] b c1530; m John Smith of Staffs
William Whorwood [1] b c1532; c1532 FAS below
John Whorwood [2] b c1534 further below
Francis Whorwood [3] b c1536 further below
Nicholas Whorwood [4] (of Spain) 1583
Elizabeth Whorwood m John Haselwood
Margery Whorwood m Edward Sanson
Joyce Whorwood m William Hollyman

William Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs gentleman c1532-
m Margaret Brooke dau of Ralph Brooke of Bobbington, Staffs c1507-1577 QV
(as gentleman, summoned and entered at the Visitation, and signed the record) Aug *1583
chn: Francis Whorwood [1] b c1561; (aged 22) 1583 below

Richard Whorwood [2]

Francis Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs gentleman c1561-p1614
m Jane Whitmore dau and heir of Whitmore of Clareley [? Claverley]
(aged 22) 1583; (named in the Visitation) *Aug 1614

John Whorwood of London "gentleman" c1534-
b c1534 2nd son of Henry Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1500-.... QV
m Mary Hodgkiss dau of John Hodgkiss of London
chn: William Whorwood
Humphrey Whorwood

Francis Whorwood "gentleman" c1536-
b c1536 3rd son of Henry Whorwood of Bobbington, Staffs c1500-.... QVm Brooke
chn: Philip Whorwood

REFERENCE: c1532 FAS; *1583; SHAW II 278 pedigree (5/3/05)
